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Transmitted herewith for filing is the divisional patent application of Patterson and Cramer entitled: A Further Method Of Creating And Rapidly Searching A Virtual Library Of Potential Molecules Using Validated Molecular Structural Descriptors. Enclosed please find the following documents relating to the application:

- 1. a specification consisting of 655 pages of specification including software code and Abstract;
- 2. drawings consisting of 31 Figures on 44 sheets;
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